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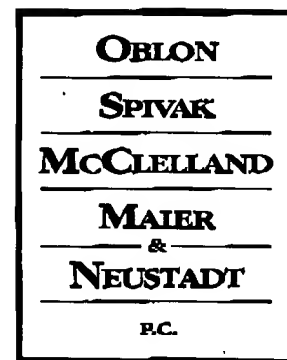
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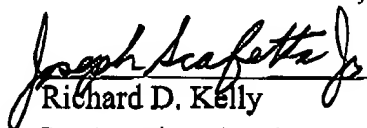
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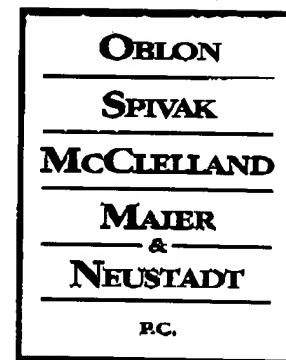
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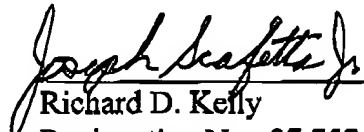
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the title page, Item (54) and column 1, the title is incorrect. Item (54) and column 1 should read:

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